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Title: MOBILE STATION (MS) MESSAGE SELECTION IDENTIFICATION
SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated December 21, 2001 issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified Application. A response to the December 21, 2001 Office Action was due March 21, 2002. Applicants are concurrently filing a Petition for a 2-Month Extension of Time, including the required fee. Therefore, a response is due on May 21, 2002. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

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1. (Once Amended) A method for identifying a message selection made at a mobile station (MS), the method comprising the steps of:
 - uniquely associating an inbound telephone number with a message;
 - attaching said inbound telephone number to said message;
 - sending said message and said attached inbound telephone number to an MS using an MS telephone number associated with said MS;
 - maintaining a unique association between said message, said inbound